IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) |
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| Plaintiff, |)) 8:21CR118 |
| vs. | <i>)</i>) |
| JESUS RODRIGUEZ HERNANDEZ and LUIS LOPEZ, | ORDER |
| Defendants. |)) |

This matter is before the court on defendant Luis Lopez's Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [45]. Counsel needs additional time to complete plea negotiations. For good cause shown,

IT IS ORDERED that the Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [45] is granted, as follows:

- 1. The jury trial, for both defendants, now set for November 29, 2021 is continued to January 18, 2022.
- 2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between today's date and January 18, 2022, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

DATED: November 22, 2021.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis United States Magistrate Judge